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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Carl ECKLUND  
Application No.: 09/429,626  
Filed: October 29, 1999  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INITIATING  
COMPRESSION OF HEADERS OF PACKETS AND  
REFRESHING THE CONTEXT RELATED TO THE PACKETS  
Art Unit: 2157  
Examiner: G. Todd

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 20, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 18, 2004, the period of response for which extension is requested by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

**Amendments to the Claims and**

**Remarks are included following the amendments.**

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